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E.O. 11652: GDS
TAGS: PDIP, US, VM, LA
SUBJECT: US/SRV NORMALIZATION

REF: HONG KONG 6963

1. DURING A JUNE 8 RECEPTION FOR THE NEWLY ARRIVED BRITISH
AMBASSADOR TO LAOS, VIETNAMESE CHARGE NUGUYEN SY HOAT OUTLINED WHAT
HE DESCRIBED AS THE SRV POSITION ON THE QUESTION OF US ASSISTANCE
TO VIETNAM. HE HAVE NO INDICATION, HOWEVER, THAT HE WAS
ATTEMPTING TO PASS A MESSAGE TO THE US. RATHER THE TENOR
OF HIS REMARKS WAS CLOSER TO THAT OF A PROPAGANDA LECTURE
THAN A NORMAL DISCUSSION.

2. HOAT DID NOT GO SO FAR AS TO SAY THAT VIETNAM WAS WILLING
TO PROCEED WITH NORMALIZATION WITHOUT US AID AS WAS REPORTED
BY THE FAR EASTERN ECONOMIC REVIEW (REFTEL). HE DID SAY THAT
VIETNAM NEEDED HELP FOR ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT AND THAT THE
SRV WOULD LIKE AID FROM ANY COUNTRY, INCLUDING THE US.
HE STRESSED, HOWEVER, THAT VIETNAM WAS NOT INSISTING
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ON ANY TYPE OF WAR REPERATION; ANY AID GIVEN WOULD HAVE
NO CONNECTION WITH THE WAR.
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